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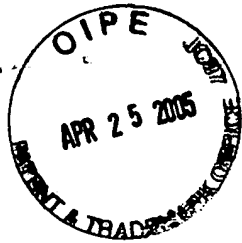
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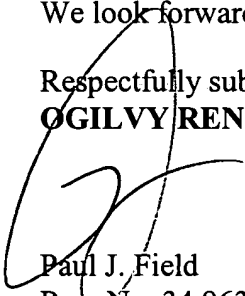
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**Title: ARTICULATED SUPPORT ARM FOR MEDICAL DEVICES**  
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## STATUS REQUEST

We request an indication of when the Examiner expects to commence examination of this application. The application was filed on November 18, 2003.

We look forward to receiving a first Office Action or other communication from the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,  
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